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THE NEWPORT MERCURY was established in June, 1836, and is now in its hundred and twenty-sixth year. It is the oldest newspaper in the Union, and with less than half a dozen exceptions, the oldest printed in the English language. It is a large quarto weekly of fifty-six columns filled with interesting reading—editorial, local and general news, well-selected miscellany and a valuable feature of household department—reaching so many households in this and other States, the limited space given to advertising is very valuable to business men.

Local Matters.

Races at Aquidneck Park.

Next Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday at Aquidneck Park, there will be some of the finest trotting that has ever been seen in Newport or vicinity. The list of entries as given below is very large, and includes some of the best horses in the country. The races will be called each day at 2 o'clock, and omnibuses will convey all people to the grounds who wish to attend. The following is the list of entries:

TUESDAY (first day) JULY 10.
2:30 O'CLOCK:
F. M. Dodge, Pittsfield, Conn., br. m., Fanny D. J. K. Wilbur, Taunton, Mass., ch. g., Frank W. Sumner Fairbanks, Prov., blk. m., Chas. J. A. Johnson, Brockton, Mass., blk. g., Oliver W. O. Trimble, Newburg, N. Y., br. g., J. P. Clark Greene, Fall River, Mass., br. m., George G. G. 2:30 O'CLOCK:
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THURSDAY (third day) JULY 12.
Free for all.
T. D. Marsh, Boston, Mass., g. g., Forcet Pichon Daniel Miller, N. Y., blk. m., Capt. James D. J. K. Wilbur, Taunton, Mass., ch. g., Charles G. A. Johnson, Brockton, Mass., blk. g., Oliver W. O. Trimble, Newburg, N. Y., br. g., J. P. Clark Greene, Fall River, Mass., br. m., George G. G.

Serious Accident.

About half-past five o'clock Wednesday morning, as James Brown, together with some fifteen other lads, were engaged in celebrating the Fourth on Aquidneck Mill Wharf, a serious accident befell young Brown. He was in the act of loading a cannon for the twentieth time. The piece had become heated from constant firing, and the powder ignited as he was pouring the charge from a bottle which he held in his hand. The bottle exploded making a terrible wound on his right leg and seriously burning other parts of his body. His clothes took fire, but by the prompt action of his companions the flames were extinguished in time to save him from burning to death. Brown was taken to his home in the Aquidneck Mill block and a physician called. It was at first thought that the lad was fatally injured, but to-day he is reported considerably better, and it is now thought that he will recover.

Newport Weather.

While all parts of the country, New England as well as the rest, are complaining of oppressive hot weather, sunstrokes, terrific storms, hurricanes, cyclones, etc., Newport has nothing to disturb her serenity except fog and these having a beautifying effect on the complexion the ladies generally vote them a blessing. There has not been a single hot day in Newport this season thus far, when it has been hot all day. We have had some warm mornings but nothing uncomfortable. The nights have been charmingly cool; too cool in fact to sit out doors with comfort, but all right for sleeping purposes. If the outside world desires to know the luxury of sleeping under a blanket in July let them come to Newport. We have had no severe thunder storms, no tornadoes and no cyclones.

Real Estate at Auction.

Thursday Thos. Barlingham, auctioneer, will sell for F. N. Barlow, 2408 feet of land with buildings and a wharf front on Long Wharf, to Richard B. Wright, for \$2000. And 1477 feet of land with stable on Weston-st. to Frank Morgan, for \$800. The former estate has been used by F. N. Barlow & Son as a junk store for several years, and will be occupied for the same purpose by Mr. Wright.

For best drugs and medicines go to Groff's drug store on Thames st., just north of the Post office.

THE GLORIOUS FOURTH.

How it was Celebrated in Newport—The Children's Festival, Sports, Music, etc.

The one hundred and seventh anniversary of American independence has come and gone, and the noise and hubbub, the confusion of fire crackers, torpedoes, guns, big and little, the clanging of bells and the blowing of horns, would undoubtedly have satisfied good old John Adams if he had been alive. John Adams, by the way, was the inventor of the Fourth of July. And when after signing his name to the immortal declaration, he said the day ought to be celebrated with the ringing of bells and the firing of guns, etc., he struck the key note that every small boy in the land has been only too happy to follow up on that day to this. The celebration, as is usual, commenced long before dawn on Wednesday, and its last echoes died away but little before "fourth day" made its appearance on Thursday.

The weather was all that could be desired, and General Burdick, who had been diligently watching "Old Probabilities" for a month or more, was correspondingly happy. In fact we do not remember to have seen a more benign and placid countenance than his, as he rode past on his spirited charger, flanked by two Uncle Sam's men of war, at the head of his fine procession on that beautiful morning. It would have delighted the heart of an artist, and might even now be adopted for an allegorical painting: Subject: "Peace Surrounded by War." This suggestion of ours, like the Dutchman's, any one can have free gratis, for nothing, without cost. The procession was formed in due time, as was announced in these columns last week, would be the case. The troops paraded the hot streets for an hour or two, listened to the fine oration from Rev. E. P. Clarke, the reading of the Declaration by Mr. Joseph G. Parmenter, and the other exercises. After which the assembled multitudes marched to the Izard lot, where tents had been erected, tables set in various parts of the beautiful grove, and preparatory made to give all the small people of the town a grand picnic. And this was really the interesting part of the day's celebration. Some four thousand children were fed and made happy, and nearly as many grown people were bountifully cared for. The bands discoursed excellent music and all appeared to enjoy themselves.

After the dinner the multitudes witnessed the sports on the Polo lot, under the direction of the famous Scotch champion, Mr. John Brown. The following is the result of the contests:
Royce race, under 14 years, first \$2, Burdick; second \$1, Scotland. Man's race, 200 yards, first \$4, John Cook; second \$2, M. Greely. Hoop, step and jump, first \$4, M. Greely. 300 feet, second \$2, Fisher. 300 feet 8 inches, running high jump, first \$1, M. Greely; second \$2, George Fisher. Half-mile race, first \$3, Cook. One-mile walking match \$5, Oils Fitz; second \$2, James Donahue. Vaulting with pole, first \$5, Greely; 8 feet 11 inches; second \$2, Fisher. Three-legged race, \$3, Cook and partner. One mile race, first \$10, Cook. Sack race, first \$5, Greely; second \$1, McCarty.

In the evening Touro Park was handsomely decorated, and two bands made most excellent music. There were thousands of persons present and all seemed to enjoy the beautiful evening, the excellent music and the fine works which private individuals had provided in different parts of the city. One band was also stationed on Washington Square and the music was duly appreciated. On the whole the day passed off very pleasantly and the celebration was one of the best given for years. A large number of people from out of town were present and all apparently enjoyed themselves.

The Remonstrants.

The interest manifested over the granting of liquor licenses this year has been unprecedented. Last Saturday the Board of Aldermen gave a hearing to those who had any objections to offer why any or all of the eighty applicants should not have a license. The council chamber was crowded and speeches were made by Col. S. R. Honey and John N. A. Griswold, whose opposition was directed principally to one dealer, L. D. Davis, Rev. Mr. Peet, Joseph G. Parmenter, C. A. Ives, Rev. Mr. Clarke, Dr. Storor and others who were opposed to granting licenses indiscriminately. The drift of the remarks were not in favor of prohibition but that the Board of Aldermen should see that the granting of licenses, should see great care in granting licenses, and reduce the number of licenses granted to the lowest possible number. The meeting was a pretty warm one and some of the speakers were very plain in their talk. The Aldermen listened with a marked degree of resignation.

PASTOR'S RECEPTION.

Shiloh Baptist Church.

On Thursday evening, July 26, the members of the Shiloh Baptist church propose to give their pastor, the Rev. Mr. Jeter, a reception in Odd Fellows hall for the purpose of raising funds to assist in paying his salary. Mr. Jeter has been with this church now eight years, during which time and owing to his successful labors, the church has made much progress. He has raised a fund of \$600 which is deposited in the bank as a foundation for a parsonage fund. This money was collected through the efforts of Mr. Jeter, for the purpose of buying the lot adjoining the church. After the money was raised the church concluded to improve the land himself and so the money was all deposited in the bank to be used whenever a suitable lot can be found. The exercises at this reception will consist of a literary and musical entertainment after which there will be refreshments. This object is worthy of a liberal patronage.

Would it not be well to give a rest now on municipal Fourth of July celebrations, and spend the money for something of more lasting benefit for a few years?

ROGERS HIGH SCHOOL.

The Graduation at Rogers High School, Tuesday—The Awarding of the Medals—Addresses, etc.—Large Attendance.

The annual graduating exercises of Rogers High School occurred on Tuesday and were of their usual excellence. A large number of people attended the exercises, the chapel, and recreation room and halls adjoining being completely filled before the class had taken their places. The platform was profusely supplied with potted plants and flowers and the walls of the chapel were hung with pictures, most of which were the products of pupils of the different grades. Among the class designs of past years was that of the class of '83—a star, bearing the monogram "H. R. S." and the year, and a crescent, bearing the motto "Labor omnia vincit." From nine until eleven o'clock the class exhibition recitations occurred and were fully up to their usual high merit.

The following is the programme of the graduation exercises proper which occurred in the chapel at 11 o'clock:
Declaration, National Injustice, Herbert L. Dyer; Reading, King John and the Abbot of Canterbury, Ella O. Smith; Declaration, The Missing Ship, A. Sydney Warren; Reading, The Old Fisherman, Susan B. Franklin; Essay, Abolition, read by Elizabeth N. Griffith; Mary B. Bliss; Greek Translation of Shakespeare's Julius Caesar, Act I, Scene II, from "The games are done, and Caesar is returning," to the end of scene, Cressida, Philip M. Hammett; Brutus, A. Sydney Warren; Cora, Clarence A. Carr; Caesar, Francis Burdick; Antony, Benjamin Weaver.

Declaration, The Dream of Eugene Aram, William F. Tilton; Essay, The Tenth Plague in the United States, Herbert L. Dyer; Declaration, The Epitaph of Clarence A. Carr; Reading, The Gift of Trinitas, Caroline V. Lunders; Declaration, The Prisoner for Debt, Benjamin Weaver; Essay, Generalization, with the Valletieri, Martha A. Saunders.

A very interesting and instructive address, in which mention was made of the high standing which the graduates from Rogers High School occupy in colleges to which they have gone, was delivered by the Rev. Thos. R. Pynchon, S. T. D., President of Trinity College.

At the close of these exercises the medals were awarded, and the diplomas and certificates given as follows: The King Greek medal, to Philip M. Hammett, Miss Sophia A. Rice and Mr. Clarence A. Carr receiving honorable mention for the excellence of their papers; the two Norman prizes, for English Composition, the first, a medal and "Greene's History of the American People," to Herbert L. Dyer, and the second, Tyler's "History of American Literature" and "Hawthorne's Works," to Miss Martha A. Saunders. After the awards had been made, Mr. Tilton delivered a brief but feeling address to the class, and Dr. Thayer, when giving the diplomas, gave the graduates excellent advice for their future counsel. The audience then joined in singing a verse of "Old Hundred," after which the exercises were closed with a benediction by Rev. Dr. Thayer.

Following are the names of the members of the graduating class: Clarence Augustus Carr, Herbert Lincoln Dyer, Elizabeth Nichols Griffith, Philip Melancthon Hammett, Mary Staunbury Holt, Martha Sophia Saunders, Elizabeth Sherman, Algernon Sydney Warren.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

An adjourned session of this court was opened Monday morning at 11:30 o'clock, Judge Tillingham, presiding. The first case called was that of the town of Middletown vs. John McMahon, for keeping swine in Middletown and feeding them on swill brought from Newport. The case was given to the jury at 4:30 o'clock, and after being out half an hour returned a verdict of guilty. Exceptions were taken and the case will probably go to the Supreme court. The liquor parties were then called up, but the parties not being present, the court ordered the recognition of John H. Irish, Samuel Pollitt, James O. Eslick, Ann McLeod and James Groves to be called.

Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock the trial of Thomas F. Davis on an indictment for aiding George H. Rounds during his escape from jail was begun, and the evidence on both sides was all given in, when the court adjourned until Thursday morning. At 10 o'clock Thursday morning Mr. Gorman and Attorney General Colt began their respective pleas for the defense and prosecution respectively. The case was given to the jury at about 3 o'clock, after being out until 9:40 failed to agree and were discharged. They stood 7 to 5 in favor of conviction.

Happy Rhode Island.

Says the Boston Herald: The tempest of Monday evening did not reach Rhode Island; there were gentle rains without high wind, and the effect was as beneficial as the experience was genial. All vegetation is in the highest condition. Thus far there have been few oppressive nights; in the country the cool breezes have not in early, and the mornings have been fine and bracing. Of the smaller fruits the promise is excellent; strawberries are a pleasant memory; currants are abundant; cherries plentiful; pears will be a full crop, and the delicious sweet corn is growing rapidly. This means not only luxury but health to those, that is to say, who are wise enough to prefer the fresh, wholesome fruit to heavier food. Milk, eggs, vegetables, fish, if one is by the seaside—these should be the staples of diet during the hot weather, with bread, where it can be bought or baked in quality deserving the title of the staff of life. With no Legislature in session, no cyclones, with the musicians to tone down the "national holiday" and the imperishable temper of his race, the Rhode Islander is entitled to be happy.

The steam yacht Ideal, schooner yacht Resolute, Nokomis, Intrepid, Lotus and Anna, and the slop yachts Whilaway, Mischievous, Mona and Belouin have been in our harbor during the week.

CYCLONES IN NEBRASKA.

An Eye Witness tells a Vivid Story of what he Saw and Felt—An Interesting Letter.

The following extract from a private letter from a gentleman living in Syracuse, Nebraska, will give an idea of what a storm is in that country:

Syracuse, Neb., June 25, 1883.
"Sent you a telegram last night, stating in brief the situation here. Wrote a letter Friday last, in which I said we were having terrible storms. I don't know whether that letter is out of Nebraska yet or not. Think I mentioned in that letter that it was looking very much like another storm. Well, that evening at 5 o'clock it came, and there is no use trying to describe it. There were three cyclones visible at one time from this town. It looked as though there were three elephants of monstrous size up in the black clouds, all hid except their trunks, which extended to the ground and lashed it awhile, then lifted it up to the clouds, then dropped it off at an acute angle with the clouds and lashed it in another place. All the people of the town were on buildings and high points watching the elemental display. One of the elephants came near the edge of the ground half a mile west of the town, and eyes witnesses say they could see sheep in the edges of the cyclone up in the air, taking a voyage Southwest. Where they came from no one knows.

About 6 o'clock, standing on Main street in front of my office and looking west, I saw the worst elemental disturbance yet. One of the cyclones came down to the ground about eight miles southwest. You could see clouds rush into it with such velocity that it looked as if they were shot out of a cannon. By this time it began to rain here. Great, green, luscious clouds came up from the North-east. Night was coming on and people were seeking places of shelter. I sent Mrs. C. and the children to the second door east where there was a good cellar. When they got there the house was full of people. I locked up and followed. We got into the cellar. I have seen storms before but never one like this. The roar of the thunder was continuous; the lightning struck every tree, and the rain and hail came down in torrents. Water drove into the cellar. We got up on boxes, not daring to put our heads out of doors. At about 11 o'clock the alarm was sounded, and we went out to assist. In the lower part of the town the creek was running mad over its banks; water was going through the houses and houses floating through the streets; people were rushing to and fro with their valuables. We came back to the cellar and remained till 1 A. M. Then came home and stayed till 4 A. M., then in a perfect torrent of rain, the women and children went back to the cellar and stayed till 8 A. M.

The lightning simply slaughtered the country. To the south of here, in the neighborhood of Mr. H., every house was struck, one man, a neighbor of Mr. H., was killed in his yard, the next stroke struck the stable and killed both of his horses. It struck eight times in that neighborhood and killed people or burnt houses nearly every time. The railroads of the country are, in many cases, abandoned. There is no communication with R. forty miles S. E., except by telegraph. Both roads that go into his town are utterly ruined, and I can go only to the edge of his town in that direction with a team. The mail is taken from here on horseback. Large holes of men are working the road between here and Nebraska City, and if we have no more floods we will have a mail established east in a few days. There are every indication of more storms soon. It is paralyzing the country. ***

Death of Mrs. Daniel Watson.

Mrs. Sarah C. G. Watson, who died in this city at an early hour on Sunday morning, in the 84th year of her age, was born on the 12th of May, 1800, at the residence of her maternal grandfather, Col. John Cooke, then one of the most opulent and enterprising citizens of this country and distinguished for the zeal and ability with which he served the cause of our National Independence during the Revolutionary war. Col. Cooke died in this city in 1812. Her paternal grandfather was Wm. Arnold of East Greenwich, who established and conducted for many years a large and lucrative business between Rhode Island and the West Indies, and was, according to a recently published address on East Greenwich celebrities, "without question the most successful merchant who ever flourished in his native place." He died in 1816 and the business fell to his sons, Stephen and Perry Greene Arnold; the latter of whom was Mrs. Watson's father, who died at sea June 25, 1819, on a return voyage from Surinam.

Mrs. Watson was married March 21, 1821, to Dr. Daniel Watson who died on the 17th of May, 1871. She has resided for nearly half a century at the ancient mansion, corner of John and Spring streets in this city, leading a life so blameless and exemplary as to have secured for her the respect and admiration of all who knew her. The resolution and energy of character which she showed in the training and disciplining of her children was not less marked than her sweetness of disposition, and fascination of person and manner, the influence of which all felt who came into her society. She had hosts of friends, for with her acquaintance was apt to kindle into friendship. Carefully educated and a great reader of books her conversation was instructive and entertaining. Her sympathy for the suffering was boundless, and her charities only limited by the means at her disposal. She was adored by her children, lived to a ripe old age, and died revered and lamented by all who knew her.

Assaulted in his Doorway.

Wednesday night, as Timothy Foley was sitting in his doorway on Levin st., he was assaulted by his brother-in-law Daniel Burns who struck him on the head with a heavy bar of iron, inflicting a dangerous wound. Burns was arrested and is now in jail on a charge of assault with a dangerous weapon.

Foley, it will be remembered, is the man who was shot by officer Joseph Beaumont some seven or eight years ago while resisting arrest. Foley has been lame from the wound ever since.

CITY COUNCIL.

At the regular monthly meeting of the City Council, Tuesday evening, with all members present, the following bills were ordered paid from the various appropriations:

Newport Aqueduct	\$ 312.60
Paupers and vagrants	121.36
Fire Department	1,433.77
Public School	3,746.48
Streets and Highways	1,014.00
Sewers	1,551.51
Watch and Police	1,761.37
Jewish Synagogue fund	100.00
Standing streets	1,548.24
Ward meetings	110.23
Police Uniforms	28.00
Public fountains	28.00
Removal of house offal	175.00
Salaries	97.42
Chapman Estate	50.00
Burial Grounds	35.68
Books, Stationary and Printing	319.81
Incidentals	779.36
	\$25,001.83

On recommendation of the Finance committee \$1,600 was ordered paid to Peter McGraw as damages.

On recommendation of the Fire Department committee a new hydrant was ordered placed at the corner of Lawrence and Shepard avenues as soon as the mains are ready, and one was ordered placed on Ruggles avenue at once. The same committee also recommended the purchase of two new four-wheeled horse carriages, but the resolution, authorizing the purchase, was strongly opposed by Alderman Langley, chairman Finance committee, who stated that the expense could not be afforded from the appropriations. The resolution was lost, and it was voted to repair and improve a spare set.

A communication from Frederick W. Sprague, asking for permission to address the Board of Aldermen, was read and received, and later, on application of Mr. Sprague, it was voted to return the paper to him.

A communication from W. P. Sheffield and others, recommending that a position for the Perry statue be fixed upon as soon as possible, was read and received, and a committee of three, Alderman Langley and Councilmen Peckham and Greene were appointed to inquire into the matter and report at a future meeting.

Aldermen Cottrell and Knell, and Councilmen Peckham, Barker and Greene were appointed a joint special committee to consider the matter of a new asylum for the poor and make a definite report at the next meeting of the council.

Aldermen Hopkins and Cottrell and Councilmen Stanbush, Renford and Greene were appointed a committee to consider the subject of a Board of Health and report at a future meeting.

On recommendation of committee on gas and lamps a new lamp was ordered placed on Malbone avenue, and the lamp at the corner of 7th and Broadway to be removed to the opposite side of Bliss road.

The monthly report of Street Commissioner H. A. Bentley, showing an expense of \$1,014.40 for streets and \$1,061.61 for sewers, and the reports for the year of J. P. Cotton, acting street commissioner last year, were read and referred to committee on streets and highways.

It was voted to ask the tax payers, next September or before, for permission to build a brick engine house and ward room for the second ward at a cost not to exceed \$10,000.

The petition of Jure Sullivan, asking that the sewer in South Baptist street, which was laid only three feet deep, and which was intended only for keeping the street dry, be sunk to a proper depth, was referred to highway committee with power to act.

On recommendation of the committee on streets and highways, the following work was ordered done: A cross-walk on Broadway, opposite Whitehall street; a pipe sewer on Farewell street; grade, curb and Macadamize Rhode Island avenue, from Broadway to Kay street at cost of \$5,000; grade, curb and cover Sherman street at a probable cost of \$500; sewer Corns street, \$100; improve LeRoy avenue at cost of \$5,000; eight inch sewer in West street, at cost of \$1,000; remedy the damage done to Jeremiah Sullivan on South Baptist street; lay a stone drain and 12 inch sewer in Marshall street at cost of \$3,200; grade and turnpike LeRoy road at cost of \$200; and sewer Thames street from Narragansett avenue to Potter street, at cost of \$100.

The highway committee were authorized to purchase a fire proof safe for the office of the street commissioner, at a cost of \$140. The following persons were granted permission to connect their several estates with sewers, the work to be done under the superintendence of street commissioner: Hiram Murray, Levin street; John R. Rooney, Levin street; Susan B. Sherman, John street; D. T. Swaburne heirs, Bellevue avenue; Sarah Peck, Bridge and Cross streets.

The application of John Burkinshaw for a license, and Morris S. Horgan for pool-table license, were laid on table.

A junk license was granted to Thomas Fitzpatrick, and on recommendation of superintendent of docks, several back-owners' and drivers' licenses were granted. In the Board of Aldermen the numerous applications for liquor licenses were brought up and disposed of, with the reading of several petitions of remonstrance and the discussions thereon, consumed about two hours. Following are the dispositions of the applications:

GRANTED.
John G. Weaver & Son; Patrick Pihl; Michael Regan; Wm. Bacon; C. D. Curran, 10 Long Wharf; P. H. Horgan, W. Broadway; M. and H. Bull, Jr., Perry House; James J. Horgan, Callender avenue; Thos. A. McCourt, Thames street; S. T. Hubbard, Thames street; Timothy Sullivan, Rath road; William Ormsby, Thames street; John Martio, Thames street; Charles A. Trager, Bath road; H. H. Brerlee, Adolph Street; Scott's Wharf; James Egan, W. Broadway; Thomas Green, Thames street; L. Horgan, Thames street; Joseph Conn, Long Wharf; Richard Walsh, Warner street; Dennis J. Sullivan, Thames street; James F. Sullivan, Barnside avenue; John Burkinshaw, Thames street; Garret Brown, Thames street; John Campbell, Thames street; Peleg Ryger, Broadway; Michael Shee, Prospect Hill street; George E. Burkinshaw, Bath road; Martin Kearney, Spring street; Samuel Johnson, Thames street; Peter Fisher, John M. Martin, Thames street; Michael Nolan, William street; C. D. Curran, 62 Long Wharf; Julius Syger, Thames street; Robert S. Barker, Thames street; Patrick Nolan,

WELL-BEING.

At the regular monthly meeting of the City Council, Tuesday evening, with all members present, the following bills were ordered paid from the various appropriations:

James Groves, Joseph Ramsen, Charles Bickerton, J. F. Carroll, John Connolly, Morris S. Horgan, Richard Molyne, Samuel Pollitt, William Ormsby, Long Wharf, Richard Burk, Charles McDermott, L. McGowan, J. D. Huber, J. F. Mayberry, W. H. Peering, James M. Mead, Constant Smith, George Holzinger, Patrick J. McCarty, David J. Case.

ALLOWED TO BE WITHDRAWN.

James Carroll, John H. Irish, W. A. Barker, David M. O'Malley, R. W. Atwater, Charles E. Groff, William J. Young, John Gash, James H. Hobbes, Dennis Sheehan, Michael Murphy, Frank L. Robinson.

The application of Edward Diggle for a license at the corner of Bath and Appanah roads, was ordered to be published three times.

The Roller Skating Rink.

This interesting feature of Newport pastimes opened under its new management, The Olympian Club of Boston, Monday evening, and, although heavy showers prevailed during the early part of the evening, with fair prospects of continuing through the night, the attendance was large. The programme for the opening night was an excellent one, and all its different features were greatly enjoyed by the large audience.

Prof. Tufts and Sewall performed wonderful tricks on the bicycle, and Prof. J. H. Mayer gave an exhibition of fancy skating. The Newport Band, Prof. Mulhens, leader, were present in full numbers and discoursed excellent music. The new floor, pronounced by connoisseurs to be the finest ever laid in New England, as well as the other extensive improvements in the way of ladies' room, polo, skate and office rooms, and more especially the space which has been set apart for the beginners, was greatly appreciated by the numerous patrons. The skates, which are the invention of the president, Mr. C. M. Raymond, were pronounced by all who used them to be the easiest running, lightest and best fitting skates in the market, and a big season was predicted for the Roller Skating and Bicycling Rink.

On Tuesday evening an excellent game of polo was played between the Newport and Providence teams, resulting in favor of the local team. There were five games played, most of which were close and exciting. The Newport team, which is the champion of the United States, is composed of the following well-known players: Messrs. Carr, Buffum, Bull, Polce, Burdick and F. B. Tufts. On Wednesday night a most laughable imitation of beginners learning to ride the bicycle was given by Messrs. Tufts and Sewall. Prof. Skinner, the champion one or two mile skater of America, was present and gave a wonderful exhibition of fast skating, completing a mile in 3 min. 15 sec., the best time on record. A most exciting time is looked for on next Thursday evening, when several well known skaters will compete in a one mile race for the championship and a handsome medal offered by the club. A most excellent and interesting programme has been prepared for the ensuing week. On Monday night Prof. Tufts will repeat his marvelous exhibition for the benefit of those who were unable to attend the opening night on account of the storm, adding many new and difficult feats, such as riding over a plank 20 feet long, 12 inches wide and 4 feet from the floor, carrying two pairs of water while riding on the machine, mounting and dismounting without spilling a drop. Also riding over a log 8 inches high, mounting, carrying and dismounting with two valves to weigh 50 pounds each, and numerous other feats. It is expected that on Saturday night the Salem Polo Club will compete with the Newport Champions for the title which they now hold. Arrangements are now being perfected whereby all the best clubs in the United States will be afforded an opportunity to compete with our home club here. Particular attention is called to the Bicycle School which is now open under the direction of Prof. Tufts, who announces that he can teach novices to ride in two lessons without a fall.

The Grammar School.

The graduating exercises in the First Grammar school were held Monday, and the following pupils were promoted to the Rogers High School:

FROM MISS WILLIAMSON'S SCHOOL:
Charles H. Johns, Cornelia M. Cory, Alice E. Grandall, Hattie L. Groff, Anna C. Crosby, Lizzie H. Murphy, Nina M. Wilks, Charles E. Bachelier, J. Stacy Brown, Lizzie E. Finley, J. Bert Arnold, Nellie A. Dyer, Hattie P. Richardson, Cora B. Dyer, C. Lee, Nattie Mcintosh, Samuel T. Hopkins, Wm. Russell Allen, James E. Kesson, Charles T. Smith, Fred. L. Davis, Annie Meredith, Wm. T. Stevens.

FROM MISS JONES' SCHOOL:
Robert S. Chase, John J. Sullivan, John L. Kelley, Eugene N. Tower, Annie M. Burdick, Ellen E. Yerworth, Nellie Peckham, Jennie C. Slocum, Sylvester W. Clarke, Frederick W. Fliger, Louis G. Neff, John M. Swan, Jessie H. Fludder, Samuel Edge, James B. White, Bertha E. Slade, Annie M. Wilkey, Harriet N. Thomas, George H. Wilmarth, James H. Sanford, Edwin N. Clark, Carrie M. Comstock, Edward J. Burrougham, William G. Landers.

The Pell medals for scholarship were awarded to Charles H. Kibbe of Mrs. Williamson's school and Robert S. Chase of Miss Jones' school. The King medals for amiability, awarded by vote of the scholars, were given to Nellie A. Dyer of Mrs. Williamson's school and Jessie H. Fludder of Miss Jones' school.

Block Island Excursions.
The Steamer Canonicus now makes two trips a week to Block Island, leaving the Old Colony Steamboat Co's Wharf, Newport, Thursdays and Saturdays at 10:45 A. M., and returning leaves Block Island at 3 P. M. The Canonicus is a staunch, sea going steamer, and if any one is going to Block Island, it by all means the pleasantest way to go.

Alex. McIntosh is building for Hiram Murray & Son, a stable and carriage house with a tenement up stairs, 30x30 feet, on Cannon-st.

CITY BRIEFS.

Journal of Newport and Newporters.

The first meet of the Queen County Hunt will occur on the 30th inst.

People should remember that the two cent postal law does not go into effect till October 1st.

Prof. Fairman Rogers has given the First-men's Relief Association in this city, his check for \$200.

Buffalo Bill with a tribe of wild Indians, called "Cowboys," Buffalo, Donkeys, etc., is coming soon. Then look out for your scalp.

At about 11 o'clock yesterday, steamer Canonicus passed through our harbor with the Cranston Baptist Sunday School of Providence on board bound for Mt. Hope for a day's excursion.

Mr. T. J. L. Farrow will begin canvassing this city next week for James G. Blaine's great work, "Twenty years of Congress, from Lincoln to Garfield." This is the greatest political history of the most important period of our country, ever written.

Nathaniel H. Peckham of Middletown, has taken the contract to build another house for Mr. James Groff, in the rear of the National Exchange Bank. The house will be 30x27 feet 24 stories high, fitted for two tenements and will cost about \$3,000.

Mrs. Sarah Stalg, a sister of Deputy Sheriff Lake, and Mrs. Taylor, wife of John M. Taylor, two most estimable ladies, have died this week. They have both been great sufferers, having been sick for a long time. They leave behind many friends to mourn their departure.

What a religious set our liquor dealers must be. An exchange says that there are 14 Catholics, 16 Episcopalians, 11 belonging to no denomination and 7 whose religious belief is unknown among the number. We fear that some of the idea of church membership is somewhat clouded.

A Peaceful Fourth.

Probably there never was a Fourth of July celebration in Newport where the law was so well complied with as that just passed. The regular police force, together with a few extra detailed for the occasion, were at their various posts of duty throughout the day and night, and it is no doubt due to their faithful service that the day was so peaceful and so few arrests necessary. There was but one person under arrest at the Station House on the night of the Fourth and but one warrant issued on the day following. This speaks well for the discipline of the present department and the following is a merited testimonial:

The Newport Mercury.

JOHN F. SANBORN, Editor and Proprietor.
SATURDAY, JULY 7, 1883.

Supertakes are reported in all parts of the country except Newport.

Mrs. Langtry is not coming to Newport. She will summer in Australia instead, at a salary of \$2500 per week.

The usual number of Fourth of July fires and casualties are reported from all parts of Uncle Sam's domain.

There is to be a monument erected at the Little Round Bay ground in Montana where General Custer and his force were slaughtered.

The wheat prospects in Minnesota and Dakota are very bright. Copious rains of late week have assured more than an average crop.

It takes some people a long time to get over Fourth of July. The Fifth being worse than the Fourth not unfrequently.

The wicked Graphic says: "President Eliot has given Governor Butler a prize card with an illuminated text for being a good boy."

It is said that Senator Pendleton will pass most of the summer on the stump in Ohio. Politics in Ohio must be rather warm work.

Graphic advice: August Belmont Jr., should not carry the kind of cane that is liable to go off. If he does he will presently find himself in a bad scrape.

Mr. Watterson wants Randall to retire from the speakership contest because he is a tariff man. Perhaps Randall will obey the great Kentucky Democrat, and then again perhaps he won't.

It is said that seven hundred Mormon emigrants have arrived from England and gone to Nevada, and that five thousand more are expected soon. Evidently the Edmunds law has not yet put a stop to Mormonism.

It is now believed that the revolt against the trade dollar was started by speculators who wished to buy them up at a discount, believing that the government would finally redeem them at par.

Goethe condemned the practice of congratulation upon marriage. "It is," he said, "as absurd as congratulating a man on having drawn a lottery ticket before you know whether it is a prize or a blank." Goethe was a wise man.

Consistency: Let a store for a liquor shop and then sign a paper asking people to appear before the Board of Aldermen to protest against granting licenses. And yet strange as it may seem such a thing has been done.

A New Hampshire Ex-Gov. thinks that the Granite State Republicans want Arthur for the next President, but if they cannot have him will put up with Edmunds. The heads of the New Hampshire politicians are generally level.

An exchange says James Gordon Bennett was frightened out of buying Beaulieu, John Jacob Astor's Newport place, because its five owners since Peruvian Minister Barreda built it have either become bankrupt or died suddenly.

The papers are beginning to boom President Arthur for a second term. If Arthur wants the votes of Rhode Island in the next convention he can probably have them. He is probably the first choice of a majority of the Republicans in the New England States.

Mr. Henry C. Bowen of the New York Independent, had the model Fourth of July celebration at Woodstock, Conn. Ex-President Hayes and wife, Senator Platt of Connecticut, Senator Aldrich and wife of Rhode Island and other distinguished people were present. Speech-making lasted from early morn till dewy eve.

The Washington Critic rates the wealth of the Supreme Court Judges as follows: Judge Blatchford is worth at least \$13,000,000; Judge Matthews, at low estimate, \$300,000; Wood, \$100,000; Waite, \$150,000; Field, \$750,000; Gray, \$150,000; Bradley, \$500,000. Judges Miller and Harlan are both poor men. Their only income is their salary.

"It is said that a gray-haired old beggar in New York is a woman who was once engaged to Salmon P. Chase, but who became insane in consequence of the engagement being broken. She was once very beautiful. Her name is given as Lucy E. Maclean." That will do for a story as well as anything else. There is no particular need of anybody believing it though, unless they want to.

President Arthur says he is not coming to Newport on the 12th, and that his plans for the summer are not yet matured. The only trip that he has as yet fully determined upon is to the Yellowstone National Park, sometime in August. A New York paper makes him say of the proposed trip to Newport. "That is entirely untrue. I never thought of such a visit and authorized no one to speak for me on the subject."

The excursion season has arrived in earnest. It is said that nearly four thousand strangers come in two Wednesday, and Thursday there was another large excursion party here, the latter party came from Fall River.

American Girl Fools.

The London correspondent of The St. Paul Sunday Pioneer Press, in his last letter, says: "I felt free to mention names I could tell tales to wring the heart about American girls who have married English noblemen. In almost every instance it proves fatal to the bride's happiness. It isn't long since Lord Flyfinger married the heiress of an American Croesus. There was a tremendous time about it. She was envied by all her marriageable cronies, and old Croesus was congratulated on the fine alliance. He grinned with self complacency and handed over \$1,500,000 to his Lordship Flyfinger on the spot. Flyfinger took the wife and the money and brought them to England, where he introduced her to a few acquaintances and left her to shift for herself while he travels with relays of fast horses and mistresses, races and hunts, gambles and lives a wild life on the million and a half of money for which he sold the shelter of his title to the brightly hopeful, ambitious American girl. Five or six years ago an American girl, whose name was on all lips, married a rich Englishman, who had the entire of high society in England. She has slept in a social cocoon ever since, heartily wishing herself home, not seeing for months, sometimes, the husband who loves to follow the hounds. An American gentleman living here, whose name would be recognized by the reader, if I were at liberty to mention it, told me yesterday."

I have been approached within a month by an English lord, who may be a duke some day, but whose fortune has become greatly impaired by his dissipation. He has fixed his eye on an American girl, whom he has never seen. She is comparatively uneducated, not very bright, and fearfully plain. Her nose is snub. Her mouth is large. Her eyes are small and watery. Her father is an Irishman; but he is worth at least \$20,000,000. This young lord wants me to bring about a match between himself and this girl. I'd see him hanged first; for I know what a sacrifice of her it would be.

One other case: There is a lady now in high society in America, her native land, whose husband is an English lord, and whose father-in-law is a duke. She is beautiful, accomplished, interesting, and she might have made a good match in New York. But she wanted a lord, and she got him. He, alas, inherited gambling from his mother, the duchess, and he gambles away all he can get. He is dissolute and unscrupulous; she is neglected and wretched. So she pays very long visits to her relatives in America, where she can plunge into society and forget her painful European experiment.

A Terrible Catastrophe.

While the steamer Daphne was being launched at her yard in Glasgow, Tuesday, she sank, and nearly a hundred lives were lost. A dispatch says: "The steamer left the ways at a very fast rate, and when she gained the water she rolled from side to side. The persons on board, fearing that she would capsize, ran to and fro. The vessel finally reeled over and nearly disappeared beneath the water. Those who had maintained their positions on the portions of the steamer not submerged did their utmost to save those who were cast overboard. At the same time boats hastily pulled to the rescue to assist in the work of rescuing the unfortunate people, and succeeded in saving quite a number of them. There were fifty persons below in the Daphne when the vessel went over, and they were all drowned. A diver found the companionway of the Daphne blocked up by a solid mass of bodies, one upon another. It appears that the men who were at work below when the ship went over, rushed from their work and became jammed in the passageway. Some of the bodies still had tools in their hands. The diver thinks there are still in the vessel at least as many corpses as have already been recovered. Forty-one bodies had been found Tuesday night when darkness stepped the search."

Secretary Chandler has issued an order that naval officers attached to cruising war vessels, especially commanding officers, are expected to leave their families at their usual or fixed places of abode and not to attempt to transfer them to more convenient visiting points. Officers disregarding this injunction will be liable to be relieved from duty.

The record in the court martial case of Commander Horace E. Mullan, who commanded the lost United States ship Ashuelot, has been received by Judge Advocate General Remy. The sentence of the court is (as has been heretofore stated) that he be dismissed from the service. It has not yet been approved by either the President or the Secretary of the Navy.

A dispatch says: The workmen of Albany, N. Y., tried the experiment Saturday night of refusing to receive the trade dollars in payment for their work, and most of them went home without their week's wages. Those who did accept the trade dollars experienced much difficulty in making their weekly purchases, as butchers, bakers, grocers and other dealers resolutely refused to take the coins even at a discount. Albany is one of the places where the manufacturers are buying the trade dollars at a big discount for the purpose of swindling their employees.

Shoddy Humbug.

A very well and richly dressed woman entered a Union Pacific sleeper and demanded a whole section for herself. The conductor was unable to gratify her wishes. Two young ladies from Terre Haute occupied the lower berth of one of the sections, and of these the woman inquired: "Will you consent to take the upper berth of your section and let me have the lower?" "Sorry we can't oblige," replied one of the pink cheeked fairies, "but really we prefer to keep the lower berth ourselves." Then the big blonde straightened herself up, threw ineffectual contempt and importance into her pale eyes, and said: "Perhaps you don't know who I am?" "No, we don't," replied the Terre Haute girl, in a tone of serene indifference. "I will tell you," said the woman of silk and jewels, "I am Mrs. Colonel Dunlevy Wickersham." (Dunlevy Wickersham is known all along the end of that road as a bonanza man—bushels of money—so much that he needs nothing more.) "Are you, indeed?" replied the Hoosier maiden. "Perhaps you don't know who I am?" "Mme. Bonanza's face said that she didn't," and also that she had some curiosity. "Well, I am Mrs. General Grant." "And I," said her companion, who had hitherto kept silent, "am Queen Victoria."

A Trio of Knaves.

Isaac A. Briggs, a broker, and Wesley Lyon, a lawyer, both of New York, together with Emil Brie, a lawyer, nearly seventy years old, of Stamford, Conn., were arrested Thursday on a charge of selling forged Missouri State bonds to Edwin R. Kirk, doing business as a realtor. Kirk was induced to purchase bonds of the face value of \$27,185, but subsequently becoming suspicious he instituted inquiries by which he learned that Brie had had similar bonds lithographed on the representation that he was a State officer of Missouri. Briggs was sent to the State prison some years ago for attempting to blackmail John Jacob Astor. Brie ranks as a professional forger, and was arrested in Michigan in 1868 in company with the father of Charles S. Lyon. Wesley Lyon was arrested a year and a half ago on the charge of selling forged bonds, but was released on bail and has never been tried.

Four Hundred Years.

The 400th anniversary of the discovery of America, now only nine years in the future, is looked forward to with great interest in Spain. King Alfonso is of the opinion that his own country should take the lead in the festivities, and that they should be held at either Madrid, Granada, Huelva or Barcelona, all of which towns are in some way connected with the life of Columbus. The King has pledged his word to do what is possible to make its celebration a decided success, and expresses the hope that the celebration will be one worthy of the great deeds of the discoverer of the new world. Señor Castelar's view as to the nature of the celebration differs from that of the King. He would have Spain, Portugal, Italy, France, England and the United States join to make the festival one of the most brilliant ever held in the history of the world. Vessels of each of these nations, beautifully equipped, should, he proposes, on the third of August, 1892, depart from Palos for San Salvador in imitation of the voyage of Columbus.

A Report About Lotta's Marriage.

A rather sensational report, purporting to come from Washington and detailing the secret marriage of the actress, Miss Lotta, to O. Edwin Huss, is generally discredited by her friends and acquaintances. Miss Crabtree (which is the actress's real name) sailed for Europe some weeks ago, with the intention of passing some time there. Mr. Huss is a young naval cadet, and was for some weeks a frequent visitor. It is said that there has never been any thought of a closer relationship being likely to exist between them.

Commodore Dudley seems to be a new kind of reformer. He proposes that those who do the work shall have the pay for it. To that end some of the clerks in his department who receive the smallest salaries have lately been promoted, because they are hard workers. Many of the clerks who draw the higher salaries, and did little work, are strongly supported by politicians, and rank among the political managers of the bureau. General Dudley expects trouble from their supporters.

Counsellor Gorman and Attorney General Colt had some rather plain talk in the Court room last Monday. Lawyer Gorman charged the State law officer with having made a little bargain, before election, with the liquor dealers association; and the Attorney General retorted by reminding the attorney of a little remark of his, to the effect "that all he cared about was to get his fees out of them." Shouldn't twit on facts gentlemen.

Assistant Postmaster Elmer has prepared a statement showing that the cost of operating the star-route service in the Pacific section, comprising two-fifths of the United States, during the fiscal year about to end, was 10-1-10 cents per mile as against 15-1-10 cents per mile during the preceding fiscal year.

THE GREAT INTER-OCEAN SHOW.

Museum, Menagerie, Circus and Congress of Living Wonders.
The faculties of all the principal medical colleges throughout the civilized world, together with all the prominent scientists and savants, write in deploring Mlle. Christine, the two-headed lady, the greatest curiosity of nature in the world's history. She walks, talks, sings, dances, is highly intelligent and accomplished. She has two perfect heads, four perfect arms, four perfect lower limbs, and only one body. She is properly called the Eighth Wonder of the world, and forms but a single feature of the "Great Inter Oceanic, Menagerie and Congress of Living Wonders," which will exhibit here on Friday, July 13.

Ancient Order of Foresters.
On Tuesday evening the 3d inst., the District Officers visited Court Wauton, No. 6379, and installed the following brethren as officers of the court for the ensuing term:
O. R.—Duncan McLean.
Clerk—Wm. S. Lewton, Jr.
Finance Secretary—Joseph Haire.
Rec. Secretary—Sam'l Bowden.
Treasurer—Thos. B. Wilkinson.
S. W.—Chas. Turner.
J. W.—H. Robeson.
S. R.—A. McDonald.
J. B.—Joseph Taylor.

Newport, R. I., Thursday, July 6, 1883.
To the Editor of the Mercury:

I hereby challenge any skater in New England to compete against me one or two miles for the championship and a gold medal offered by the Olympian Club Roller Skating Club, on the Raymond skate, two weeks from date, the course thirteen laps to the mile.
PROV. K. A. SKINNER.

N. S. P. C. A.

The Newport Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals will hold its annual meeting Wednesday morning at the Society's headquarters on Bellevue avenue. The president, Nathan G. Appleton, is expected to be present, and it is hoped that all who feel an interest in the objects of this society will attend.

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Cream of Tartar
Bicarbonate of Soda
Carbonate of Ammonia
Tartaric Acid
Starch
Available carbonic acid gas 12.40 per cent, equivalent to 116.2 cubic inches of gas per oz. of Powder.
Ammonia gas 0.43 per cent, equivalent to 10.4 cubic inches per oz. of Powder.
Note.—The Tartaric Acid was doubtless introduced as free acid, but subsequently combined with ammonia, and exists in the Powder as a Tartrate of Ammonia.
E. G. LOVE, Ph. D.
New York, Jan'y 17th, 1881.

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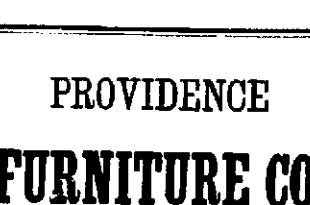
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NEWS OF THE WEEK.

From all Parts of the World.

The Cholera Epidemic.—Panic in an Arabian Town.

ALEXANDRIA, July 3.—There were twelve deaths at Mansurah and four at Samanud yesterday from cholera. Traffic between Port Said and Syria has been prohibited owing to the outbreak of the cholera at the former place. A panic prevails at Jiddah, Arabia, because of the expected arrival there of five steamers from India with pilgrims on their way to Mecca. It is feared that they bring the germs of cholera.

CAIRO, July 3.—The Sanitary Council has ordered the population of Damietta to be removed from their dwellings and scattered in tents. The infected quarter of the town has been partially disinfected and partly burned.

Explosion of a Boiler.—Three Persons Injured.

WILKESBARRE, Penn., July 3.—The boiler of the steamboat Susquehanna blew up this morning at her dock in the Susquehanna River here. The boat was torn to pieces. Three employees were injured. A traveling agent, of New York, had just stepped upon the gangplank when the explosion occurred. He was hurled several feet into the air, landing on the shore uninjured. The boat had a capacity for carrying 500 passengers.

Loss of an Excursion Steamer and Four Lives.

BATAVIA, N. Y., July 2.—A small excursion steamer named Stranger capsized yesterday on Tonawanda Creek, with some twenty-five passengers on board. Clark Tenney, aged forty; Bridget Flannery, aged nineteen; Sarah Maloney, aged seventeen; and Eugene Hawley, aged seventeen, were drowned. The others were saved.

The Wisconsin Tornado.

MILWAUKEE, July 3.—Cal. and Sewell Hazen, living near Ladago, Wis., were seriously, perhaps fatally, injured while in a barn which was blown down by yesterday's tornado. The damage in this locality by the storm aggregates \$200,000.

Six Persons Killed.

CINCINNATI, July 3.—A horrible fatal accident occurred on the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton Railway at Winton place Tuesday, whereby six persons were instantly killed. The Thunderbolt express coming south on the New York, Pennsylvania and Ohio Railroad was due here at half-past eight, and being half an hour behind time, was running fast to make up. It struck a buckeye wagon in which were a family of six persons and a driver. Every one except William Berch, the driver, was killed. Berch escaped with serious though not fatal injuries. The wagon was broken to splinters. The family were that of Mr. Henry Kracke, and they were going to their farm, seven miles from Winton place. The bodies were thrown in fragments on the grass by the roadside, where they were picked up by the light of lanterns and brought to the city. Mrs. Kracke's head was severed from her body and all the victims of the disaster were horribly mutilated. The engine was so beset with blood that it was sprinkled with flour to cover the stains.

On to New Hampshire.

DOVER, N. H., July 4.—Edward Morrill's new residence was struck by lightning this afternoon, doing considerable damage and prostrating the inhabitants. Meantime, a tornado burst with terrific rain showers, large hail stones breaking windows and large limbs of trees, and a hundred trees were blown down.

NASHUA, N. H., July 4.—The heaviest thunder storm of the season passed over this city to-night. A bolt entered the residence of Hervey Lezatt on North Central street, doing much damage and rendering Mrs. Lezatt and two children insensible. The lightning also entered a house on Chandler street, knocking a young lady insensible.

A Farm Laborer Shot in Chester, Vt.

CHESTER, Vt., July 4.—Samuel Abbott, a farmer, while shooting at a target to-day, accidentally shot his hired man, Henry Spaulding, inflicting fatal injuries.

A Boy Killed by a Runaway Horse.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., July 4.—Adams had a largely attended celebration, with a parade, a rifle match, running and horse races, and display of fireworks. There was also a celebration at Dalton, which was marred by the killing of David Evan's 3 year-old son by a runaway horse, which dashed into the crowd. On this account, part of the programme was omitted.

A Farmer Killed by Lightning.

EAU CLAIRE, Wis., July 4.—A severe hail and thunder storm struck this vicinity, yesterday afternoon, doing great damage to buildings, crops, etc., and rumors of disasters are constantly coming in. James Riley, a prominent farmer, was killed by lightning.

A Superb Sight.

The glories and splendors of the Ancient Orient are reproduced as nearly as artistic tastes and the most lavish expenditure of money can do so, in the free street demonstration of the Great Inter-Ocean Show, and this feature alone is so truly magnificent that the press and people wherever they gaze the show, the additional title, "Largest and Best Show on Earth," and John B. Dorris, the proprietor, very properly adopted it, and therefore the mammoth concern is called the "Great Inter-Ocean Largest and Best Show on Earth." It will exhibit here on Friday, July 13.

Miscellaneous.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

Without Morphine or Narcotine.

What gives our Children rosy cheeks.

What cures their fevers, makes them sleep.

What cures their colic, kills their worms.

What cures their fret, and cry by turns.

What cures their cold, kills their cough.

What quickly cures Constipation.

Sour Stomach, Colds, Indigestion.

Farewell then to Morphine Syrup,

Castor Oil and Purgative,

and Hall's Castoria.

Centaur Liniment.—An absolute cure for Rheumatism,

Sprains, Burns, Cuts, &c., and an

Instantaneous Pain-reliever.

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Agricultural Society.

The 26th Annual Fair

WILL BE HELD

September 18, 19, 20, 1883.

Premium list now ready. Call and get one.

JOHN F. SANBORN,

Secretary.

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TEA COMPANY'S

Prices! Prices!

Cross & Blackwell's Pickles, assorted, quarts,

60 cents.

American Pickles, quarts 15c, pints 10c.

Worcestershire Sauce, 45 cents, Halford's,

23 cents. Cantini (Ginger), 75 cents.

Baking Powder of variety, 25c. Horsford's,

18 cents. Salt, 3 cents per qt.

Furnace Goods.

Beans, 8, 10 and 12 cents per qt. Canada Oak

Meal, 10c per lb. R. I. Meal, 9c per lb. Flax

Seed, 10c per lb. Sugar and Syrup, 10c per lb.

A. B. O. Oats and Wheat, 10c. Arrowroot, 10c.

Sago, 10c per lb. Sea Moss Purina, 22c. Cox's Gelatin,

13c. Duryea's 6 lb box starch, 42c.

French Ball Blue, 25c. box. Bixby's Shoe

Dressing, 12c. Sal Soda, 3c. Potash, can, 12c.

Bernardin's Ointment, 4c. Dried Beef 25c per lb.

French Laundry Soap, 7c. Soapine, 10c. 11b

lb. bars Family Soap, 5c. Holston Mineral

Soap, 5 for 25c. Valencia Raisins, 10c. Peas,

Nuts, 15c. Filberts, 15c. Walnuts, 20c. Almonds,

12c.

LIME JUICE.—West Indies, 30c. Montserrat,

35c.

DUNDEE MARMALADE.—Orange, 25c.

Raspberries, 35c. Strawberry, 35c.

Pork, lean sides, 12c. per lb; 8 lbs. for \$1.

Chickory, 10c. Coffee—Java, 25c., 25c., and

8 lbs. for \$1. Rio, 15 lbs. for \$1; 40 lbs. for \$4.

Aldol's Soap, 10c.; works as represented.

A lot of Mixed Tins in 1 lb. tins, just

received. A price of 10c. per tin. Give us a call and

with each lb. Give us a call and examine. Will

not be undersold by any house in the city.

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IRA E. WILSON

Old No. 88 THAMES ST. New No.

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SPRING OF 1883.

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OIL CLOTHS,

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CARD.

NEWPORT, R. I., April 1, 1883.

I having sold my stock, tools and good will,

and leased my shop to Mr. G. F. D. Fayerweather,

weather, would, in retiring from business,

thank the public for the very liberal patronage

extended to me for the past 17 years, and

would solicit for the new firm a continuance of the same.

JOHN LYONS.

Notice.

Having purchased the HORSE SHOEING

ESTABLISHMENT lately conducted by Mr.

J. Lyons, on Kinsley's Wharf, I shall be

pleased to meet all of my old customers and

as many of the customers of the shop as may

favor me with their patronage, trusting that

with my twenty years' experience in the business,

I shall be able to maintain the excellent

reputation that this shop has enjoyed in the past.

3-31-3m C. F. D. FAYERWEATHER.

BARGAINS!

THE BEST LINE OF

LADIES' CORK SOLE

Button Boots,

GREATLY REDUCED IN PRICES.

T. NUMFORD SEACURY,

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Miscellaneous.

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119 THAMES STREET.

Elegant line Summer Suits,

Straw Hats, Alpaca Coats,

Gauze and Jean Underwear,

and a general line of Fine

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TAYLOR & BENNETT,

WHERE AND WHY TO BUY

YOUR

Haying Tools!

Because here you can find all kinds, and they

are sold on their merits. For MOWERS

I offer the

Champion, Clipper,

Wm. Anson Woods,

Walter A. Woods.

These mowers I have sold for years; they

have proved the best in the market, and prices

are as low as any.

THE AMERICAN TEDDER

is the most perfect tool for work of any made.

Remember it is easier to revolve the teeth

than to oscillate them, and the wear is less than

one half and draught lighter of course. This

tool has been remodeled and will outwear the

old pattern, which has been in use for fifteen

years and is doing good work to day.

THE TIGER HAY RAKE

perfect principle, never out of order. 3000

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DUMP RAKE. Any boy can do the work of a

man it is so positive; never fails. It has two

more teeth than any other. Examine and give

it a trial before you buy. I ask no one to buy

until they are satisfied.

Why it Will Pay

TO BUY OF ME:

I have a stock of all repairs for the tools I

sell, and you do not have to wait the best day

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necessary to do your day's work.

HAND TOOLS OF ALL KINDS

FOKES, RAKES, SCYTHES,

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is pronounced best by all who use it. It is

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Hurrah! Boys!

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STRAW HATS

GIVEN AWAY!

4th JULY MORNING,

AT 9 O'CLOCK!!

AT

72 1-2 THAMES STREET.

BY

Greene the Hatter.

Having had an unprecedented large

sale of straw hats this season, every-

body seemingly having bought one, I

propose to give away to those who

have none, two hundred and fifty

hats. Now these hats are not three

or four dollar ones, and if any are

disposed to find fault at the quality of

them, please remember that they are

not represented to be choice, and that

THEY COST NOTHING. I intend

them for poor boys that are wearing

cloth hats, or no hats at all, and to

such they will be greatly preferred to

fur hats during the next two months.

To prevent one boy getting all the

hats, I want all those who desire one

to leave their name between this and

8 o'clock, 4th of July morning, and

then be on hand and take the hats as

the names are called, at 9 o'clock,

sharp.

GREENE

THE HATTER.

Miscellaneous.

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Cuffs, well made in every respect, and

REINFORCED, for

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FISKE FUND.

The Trustees of the Fiske Fund, at the

annual meeting of the Rhode Island Medical

Society, held at Providence, June 21, 1883,

announced that they had made no award on

the subjects proposed for the present year.

They propose the following subjects for the

year 1884:

1. The origin and progress of the malarial

fever now prevalent in New England.

2. Original investigation in household hy-

giene.

For the best essay on either of these subjects

worthy of a premium they offer the sum of

three hundred dollars.

Every competitor for a premium is expected

to conform to the following regulations viz.:

To forward to the Secretary of the Trustees,

on or before the first day of May, 1884, free of

all expense, a copy of his dissertation, with a

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New Advertisements.

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NEWPORT COUNTY NEWS.

PORTSMOUTH.

Notes.—The Rev. Lewis L. Briggs of Providence, preached at the Christian Church on Sunday last, the Rev. Wm. Miller, of Swansea, Mass., was also present and assisted in the service.

Mr. Jonathan C. Gould who has been confined to the house for several days, with muscular rheumatism, is feeling somewhat better.

Mr. Jacob Amy of this town, who was formerly employed by the northwest fishing company at Alaska, has recently been engaged by the U. S. Com., Prof. Baird. Mr. Amy left last Monday night for Washington, to meet the Albatross, and assist Prof. Baird in learning more of the habits, etc., of the Porgy, commonly known as the Menhaden.

The Rev. Hobart Williams and wife have arrived at North Conway, N. H.

The Rev. T. A. Eaton, D. D., and wife, of New York, are at St. Mary's parsonage.

JAMESTOWN.

At the special town meeting held on Saturday, 30th ult., George C. Carr, Fred. N. Cottrell and Edward W. Hammond were appointed a committee to negotiate with any party or parties desirous of purchasing the town's interest in the Jamestown and Newport Steam Ferry Company. The Conant Island Telephone Company was authorized to erect poles for wires.

Mrs. Mary E. Buttrick has had all improvements furnished on her cottage, consisting of an ell 22x20 feet, and the dwelling has been repainted, which gives the whole a very neat appearance.

BLOCK ISLAND.

The Geo. W. Danbolt arrived on Monday with fifty passengers and a large amount of freight.

The vessels in the harbor on Monday dragged their ground tackle in the blow of Monday afternoon and some narrowly escaped going on the breakwater.

TIVERTON.

The Town Council met in the Council room at the Town Hall on Monday. Members present: Peleg D. Humphrey and Peleg S. Stafford and Capt. Daniel T. Church, President of the Council.

The following bills were presented and ordered paid: Peleg Bros., shoes for Town Asylum, \$7 15; Charles E. Vickery, clothing for Town Asylum, \$11 70; David Darfee, 3d., surveyor Dist. No. 1, \$101 76; Jonathan Sherman, removing safe, \$20; William Leedham, on dog and, \$3 10; Gleason Manchester, draught, \$25; Mary Dwyer, semi-annual allowance for support, \$13; John Cook, services as Town Clerk, \$11 70; Edward B. Hamby, surveyor Dist. No. 4, \$107; Edward B. Hamby, surveyor on depot road, \$28 17; John Q. A. Brown, surveyor Dist. No. 2, \$16 50; bill for repairs on Stone Bridge, share for Tiverton, \$26 19.

The following named persons were appointed police constables under Public Statutes, chapter 88, section 30: William Anthony, Abram Cottrell and Albert Gray.

Voted That Mrs. Annie M. Bowen, Peleg S. Stafford and John F. Cook be a committee to settle upon the western boundaries of the road from Anthony Hill to Tiverton railroad station.

John T. Cook was elected Coroner. Notice was ordered to be served upon the Western Union Telegraph Company and the Highway Surveyors in Districts Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4, calling upon them to remove certain telegraph poles in the highway between the railway station and Little Compton within ten days, as the poles are deemed dangerous to travel.

Perry G. Lawton was appointed Trial Justice, with the understanding that the Justice Court shall be held at the Town Hall, Messrs. Church and Stafford voting for and Humphrey against.

PROBATE COURT.—Petition of Susan R. Sheldon, formerly Susan R. Gray, for the appointment of Charles C. Hazard to be administrator of the estate of Andrew J. Gray, late of Tiverton, deceased, was referred to the next meeting and notice ordered. Notice was ordered on the final account of Prosser Tripp, executor of the estate of Joseph Tripp.

Petition of David Hamby, to be appointed guardian of the person and estate of his minor child, Mary Hamby, was received and notice ordered.

Notice was ordered on the appointment of Henry C. Osborn or other suitable person as guardian of the person and estate of Seth H. Cushman.

THE TELEGRAPH LINE.—The men running the new line of the Western Union Telegraph Company have passed down with the first wire, going from the station to Mr. Gray's. In Little Compton. This line was generally supposed to be for the express benefit of the "West Island Club" and President Arthur, but it is stated that if desirable, the Company will, upon certain conditions, furnish public offices in both Tiverton Four Corners and Little Compton villages.

NEW ENGLAND ITEMS.

RHODE ISLAND. James M. Whitford was arrested at Wickford, R. I., Friday, on a charge of murdering Michael Talley at a clambake at South Wickford on the 17th inst. He was committed to jail and will have a trial on Thursday.

The new Episcopal church at Wakefield is to be dedicated next Sunday, June 25th.

A Quaker wedding took place in the meeting room of the Friends' School, near Providence, on Fifth day, Sixth-month, 25th. The parties being Seth Kelley Gilford and Mary Amy Collins. No minister pronounced them man and wife, but they two, in the presence of the meeting, stood up, took each other by the hand, and pronounced the vows. He first said: "In the presence of the Lord and this assembly, I take thee, my friend, Mary Amy Collins, to be my wife, promising, through divine assistance, to be unto thee a faithful and for-

ing husband, until death shall separate us." She responded in words of the same meaning. The certificate, made according to Quaker form, was presented to them to sign. Prayer was then offered, after which the certificate was read aloud, and signed by spectators generally.

Dartmouth was visited Sunday morning by the most destructive fire for many years. The flames were discovered at 6.30 o'clock by a news vendor in an unoccupied building known as the "Old Arcade," in the rear of East Avenue. The whole fire department was called out. The flames spread rapidly, and after destroying the Arcade Building the fire extended to adjoining buildings until a dozen were on fire at once. The Dexter Yarn Company's mill, office and storehouse, large wooden buildings, caught fire. The mill was used in the manufacture of hutting cotton. The buildings were destroyed. The mill was filled with finished yarn, and but little of value was saved. The loss is estimated at \$100,000, insured for \$50,000 in foreign companies. The upper floors of A. E. Tenny's machine shop were destroyed, and the lower part was damaged. Loss from \$7000 to \$8000. The Campbell Machine Company lost in the machine shop patterns and drawings valued at from \$800 to \$1000. Carpenter's Block, a three-story wooden building, filled with secret society halls, had a narrow escape from destruction. The old Weeden homestead was about half burned. Loss \$1000. Many other buildings took fire, but were only slightly injured. It is thought that the fire was set by tramps who have lodged in the old structure. The entire loss is estimated at \$115,000. Twenty-six telephone wires to Providence were ruined, and the only way to communicate with the city authorities was by way of Boston.

CONNECTICUT.

The policeman who arrested the Yale men for making a row on the campus the other night are likely to be investigated for clubbing Elmer P. Hovey, a graduate of '78 and a Boston lawyer, who stood quietly looking on. He has presented his case to the commissioners and is likely to be released.

John Beach of Bridgewater, Conn., is about thirty years of age, and has been confined to his bed for over half his life. Being also entirely unable to hear, his mother converses with him freely by the strange process of writing with her finger upon his cheek, which he understands and answers. From long practice they can converse in this manner very rapidly.

The burglary of the savings bank at Woodbury, Conn., Sunday night, is thought to be the work of five men whom Mrs. Frank Potter saw lying by a brook the afternoon before. No explosives were used, the safe door being pried off its hinges, and the floor was littered with papers when the bank was opened. A burglar alarm connecting the bank with Treasurer Bull's house had been cut. Of the \$8000 in cash stolen, \$3300 belonged to individual depositors and \$500 to the town. The people talk of organizing a citizens' protective association.

Belle, aged 11 years, daughter of Rev. Ezra Tinker, of the Central Methodist Church of Norwich, Ct., fell backward into a tub of boiling water yesterday and was terribly scalded. Her recovery is doubtful.

NEW HAMPSHIRE.

At the reunion of the sons and daughters of Portsmouth, William H. Sise will make the address of welcome at the train. James P. Bartlett will preside at the reunion meeting, to take place in the evening.

Haying in New Hampshire has begun a week to ten days earlier than usual, and the clover harvest is in full headway along the Connecticut Valley. Locusts have done a good deal of damage in the upper Merrimack Valley, and in Gilmanston their ravages are estimated as destroying half the green products. Elsewhere hay and grain promise well.

A Military Man Made Happy.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—General G. C. Kiffin, in a letter stating his wife was cured of a painful ailment by St. Jacobs Oil, writes that after witnessing its magical cure of pain he would cheerfully pay \$100 for a bottle of St. Jacobs Oil, if he could not get it cheaper.

Sansel Cox thinks that the leading issue of the canvass in 1884 will be monopoly vs. anti-monopoly.

A man's wife should always be the same, especially to her husband, but if she is weak and nervous, and uses Carter's Iron Pills, she cannot but, for they make her feel like a different person. "I feel as if I were a new woman," say her husband's say so too. Carter's Iron Pills equalize the circulation, remove nervousness and give strength and rest. Try them. Sold by J. E. Groff, Agent.

Harpur's Weekly does not see any hope for the Republican party in 1884 in consequence of its past record.

POISONED WATER TO DRINK. When the fish died in the river, forty million above the water-walks, many people were alarmed lest the deficiency of the water might contain a deadly poison. Happily there was nothing but what could be remedied by the use of something that everybody could procure at a few minutes' notice. This "something" was PERKY DAVIS' PAIN KILLER.

Political advice: "When a politician places himself in the hands of his friends, he should see to it that those hands are reasonably clean."

A wayside harsh purgative pill. They are made up of a very bad kind of medicine. Carter's Little Liver Pills regulate the bowels and make you well. Dose, one pill, sold by J. E. Groff, Agent.

The London police force costs over \$6,000,000 a year.

I have used Ely's Cream Balm for Hay Fever, and experienced great relief. I most cordially recommend it to the best of all the many remedies I have tried.—T. B. JENKS, Lawyer, Grand Rapids, Mich. Price 50 cents.

Gray Goidt does not on flowers, and spends much time cultivating them.

YOU will never regret sending two cent stamps to pay postage to A. P. Ordway & Co., Boston, for a copy of Dr. Kautzman's Great Medical Work, 300 pages, colored illustrations, of great value to every family.

One and one-half bottles of Ely's Cream Balm for Hay Fever, and a variety of other articles. By order of P. J. GAVIN, Adm'r. FRANCIS STANHOPE, Auctioneer.

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ROLLER SKATING RINK
BELLEVUE AVENUE.

Coolest Resort in Newport!

SATURDAY EVENING, JULY 7
POLO.

Newport (five men) vs. Seven of the Best Local Players. A most exciting game will be played for, record of the Pickard Team having signified their intention of vanquishing the Olympians.

MONDAY EVENING, JULY 9,
Prof. Harry W. Tufts,

CHAMPION OF THE WORLD.

By numerous requests of the patrons of the Rink, and for the benefit of those who were unable to attend on the opening night, on account of the storm, will repeat his wonderful exhibition of Fancy and Trick Bicycle Riding.

TUESDAY EVE'G, JULY 10,
POLO.

WEDNESDAY EVE'G, JULY 11
Fancy Skating!

by one of New England's best professionals, also Prof. Austin and Miss R. E. Olmup in a most brilliant exhibition of beginners learning to skate.

THURSDAY EVE'G, JULY 12,
Prof. K. A. Skinner,

Champion for 2 mile Skater of America, will compete against all comers for a handsome medal offered by the Club.

FRIDAY EVENING, JULY 13,
Bon-Bon Party

will be given. Every skater will receive gratis one of Bon-Bon's elegant bon-bons; also exhibition of double bicycle riding by Prof. Tufts and Sewall.

SATURDAY EVE'G, JULY 14,
POLO

This will be a match game for the championship of the United States.

None but the Raymond Skate allowed in this Rink.

Popular Prices!

Day Admission, 25c; 50c; 75c; 1.00; 1.25; 1.50; 2.00; 2.50; 3.00; 3.50; 4.00; 4.50; 5.00; 5.50; 6.00; 6.50; 7.00; 7.50; 8.00; 8.50; 9.00; 9.50; 10.00; 10.50; 11.00; 11.50; 12.00; 12.50; 13.00; 13.50; 14.00; 14.50; 15.00; 15.50; 16.00; 16.50; 17.00; 17.50; 18.00; 18.50; 19.00; 19.50; 20.00; 20.50; 21.00; 21.50; 22.00; 22.50; 23.00; 23.50; 24.00; 24.50; 25.00; 25.50; 26.00; 26.50; 27.00; 27.50; 28.00; 28.50; 29.00; 29.50; 30.00; 30.50; 31.00; 31.50; 32.00; 32.50; 33.00; 33.50; 34.00; 34.50; 35.00; 35.50; 36.00; 36.50; 37.00; 37.50; 38.00; 38.50; 39.00; 39.50; 40.00; 40.50; 41.00; 41.50; 42.00; 42.50; 43.00; 43.50; 44.00; 44.50; 45.00; 45.50; 46.00; 46.50; 47.00; 47.50; 48.00; 48.50; 49.00; 49.50; 50.00; 50.50; 51.00; 51.50; 52.00; 52.50; 53.00; 53.50; 54.00; 54.50; 55.00; 55.50; 56.00; 56.50; 57.00; 57.50; 58.00; 58.50; 59.00; 59.50; 60.00; 60.50; 61.00; 61.50; 62.00; 62.50; 63.00; 63.50; 64.00; 64.50; 65.00; 65.50; 66.00; 66.50; 67.00; 67.50; 68.00; 68.50; 69.00; 69.50; 70.00; 70.50; 71.00; 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